

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL HAPPENINGS

of INTEREST to WOMEN

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Birth Announcements

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy McGill of Boston, Mass., announce the birth of a son, John William, on Dec. 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McCarter announce the birth of a son, Oscar Neil Jr., at Gaston General hospital on December 5.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Osment announce the birth of a son, Ernest Dean, on Dec. 12 at Garrison General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyle Putnam announce the birth of a son on Dec. 15 at Shelby hospital.

Christian Society Has Christmas Party

Members of circle number three of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of Central Methodist church met last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. J. G. Winkler.

The meeting room was decorated with colorful arrangements of holly and mistletoe.

Mrs. C. A. Goforth, the leader which was elected to be leader for the coming year.

During the social hour, Miss Iris Falls, of Shelby gave a reading and rendered several selections at the piano.

Each member had brought a toy to be turned over to the Red Cross for distribution to needy children.

Gifts were exchanged between members, after which the hostess served a salad and dessert course.

There were 17 members and three visitors present.

Gleaners Entertained At Crawford Home

The Gleaners class of the First Baptist church met last Friday night at the home of Mrs. Harold Crawford. Mrs. Harold Coggins was assistant hostess.

Magnolia leaves, cedar branches, and crimson tapers were used to add to the Christmas decoration note. A brightly bedecked tree graced one corner of the living room.

Mrs. J. E. Huneycutt, president, conducted the business session, during which time, plans were made to aid an unfortunate family in the community.

After the business session, several contacts were held with prizes going to Mrs. Grace Whisman, Mrs. Dot White and Mrs. L. C. Pinnix.

When all the gifts had been exchanged, the class presented a silver nut bowl to their teacher, Mrs. J. E. Willis, after which the hostess served a salad molded in the shape of a Christmas tree, with hot chocolate

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A patrolman witnessed the accident and termed it unavoidable. Manning was not held under any charge and the damage to his taxi was not learned.

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Lail is reported to have discovered the fire and seeing that it was out of control, to have driven the vehicle off the road, jumping from it in time to escape injury.

Adding to the damage sustained by the fire, it was reported early this week by police that the truck had been 'looted' of several items, including tires and wheels, before it could be moved.

Mrs. N. F. McGill was hostess to members of the Study Club on Tuesday evening, Dec. 17.

A tree, decorated in the Christmas manner, stood in one end of the living room and Christmas scenes were arranged in other parts of the room. The soft lights from red candles lent a cozy atmosphere to the dining room where the members were served a salad and dessert before the program began.

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The Tuesday Afternoon contract club met this week at the home of Mrs. Charles Dilling.

Decorations of the Christmas season were used in the living room.

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Three Accidents Here Last Weekend

An epidemic of wrecks hit Kings Mountain last week and as three were recorded, the most serious being the collision of a 1940 Plymouth, driven by Julius L. White, age 21, of Kings Mountain, with a parked 1941 Buick, owned by Haywood Warlick, also of this city, around 4:30 a. m. last Sunday morning on East King street.

White is being held under \$100 bond on a charge of driving drunk.

Both cars were badly damaged according to police, with the Warlick car damage estimated at \$500 and the White car damage estimated at \$400. Two other persons in the White vehicle at the time of the crash, Jack A. Black and John W. Warlick, of Kings Mountain, are charged with being intoxicated. No one was seriously injured in the accident it was reported.

According to the police accident report the White vehicle was traveling west on King street at the time of the impact and the Warlick car was parked on the wrong side of the street, that is on the north side heading east.

According to White, lights from an oncoming vehicle plus the reflection of his own lights off the Buick's windshield, blinded him causing him to plough into the right front of the Buick.

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Guest Players were Mrs. Jim Smith and Mrs. Dan Blanton

After the game, the hostess served a sweet course.

MARSHES

The Marshes club held its regular meeting combined with a Christmas party on Monday night at the home of Miss Naomi Edens.

Traditional decorations of the Yule season were used in the playing rooms.

After the game, in which Miss Nancy Nickels won high score prize, gifts were exchanged and the hostess served a delicious salad and dessert.

FORNIGHTERS

Mrs. W. L. Rameur was hostess last Friday to members of the Fortnighter bridge club. Two tables were in play and Mrs. Charles Williams was presented a prize for holding high score. At the conclusion of play, Mrs. Rameur served a fruit salad course and tea.

ACE OF CLUBS

Mrs. W. K. Mauney, Jr., was hostess last Thursday to the Ace of Clubs bridge group. Only the regular members were present and Mrs. Jacob Cooper held high score for the afternoon. After the game, the hostess served a tasty salad course. The club will meet this week at the

home of Mrs. Jacob Cooper.

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IMPERIAL THEATRE IT PLEASES US TO PLEASE YOU

TODAY LAST SHOWING Double Feature Program "Practically Yours" Claudette Colbert also "Missing Lady" A Shadow Story Serial - News

FRIDAY ONLY Double Feature Program "Bathing Beauty" Ester Williams Harry James Intertechnicolor also "Utah" Roy Rogers Comedy

SATURDAY ONLY Double Feature Program "Beauty and the Bandit" "Blonde for a Day" A 'Gisco Kid' Western, Also A Michael Shane Detective Myster - Cartoon - Serial

MONDAY and TUESDAY "Crack-Up" Pat O'Brien Claire Trevor Herbert Marshall

WED. and THURSDAY Christmas Special "The Affairs of Susan" Jona Fontaine George Brent "Bowery Bombshell" East Side Kids News - Serial

Myers' Dress Shop Before Christmas Clearance SALE OF All Fall and Winter Dresses 1-2 Price

Clearance of Millinery \$1.00 & \$2.00

MYERS' DRESS SHOP Second Floor

IT'S HERE Brach's Christmas Candy HIT PARADE! Assorted Chocolates, Chocolate Nuts and Fruits Caramel, Fruit Squares, Stick and Sugar Candies—Plenty "Brox" For Everybody. Murray's Grocery Off Cleveland Ave.

Gifts For The Whole Family MEN'S -TIES -SOCKS -WOOL SOCKS -PLASTIC BELTS -LEATHER BELTS -PAJAMAS -WOOL PLAID PANTS -WOOL CHECK PANTS Herringbone Plaid and Tweed Pants LADIES -Bed Jackets -Satin Slips -Dresser Sets -Kerchiefs, 100 pct. wool -Cannon Pure Silk Hose -Fancy Handkerchiefs -Plastic Raincoats -Chenille Housecoats -Sweaters -Gloves CHILDREN -Small Quilted Bathrobes -Toys -Pajamas For The Household -Good line of Pottery -Cannon Leakville 100 percent Virgin Wool BLANKETS \$13.95 -GLOPAY Lintoned DRAPES—full 2-2 3/4 yds. Flame resistant—washable. Amos & Son 413 N. Piedmont Ave.

DIXIE THEATRE THURSDAY LAST SHOWING "Two Years Before The Mast" Alan Ladd Wm. Bendix Brian Donlevy News FRIDAY Double Feature Program "Buffalo Bill" Joel McCrea "Here Comes The Waves" Bing Crosby Betty Hutton Serial Late Show 10:30 SATURDAY Double Feature Program "Lone Star Ranger" John Kimbrough Sheila Ryan "Secret of The Whistler" Richard Dix Lella Brooks Cartoon MONDAY and TUESDAY "Three Little Girls in Blue" June Haver Bob Montgomery News Late Show Monday 10:30 WED. and THURSDAY "My Darling Clementine" Linda Darnall Glenn Ford Late Show Wednesday 10:30